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## POSSIBLE CLOSING OF CHURCH

Borden County was organized in 1891 and the Doward Methodist Church in Gail, was organized on January 31, 1892, by Rev. T.L. Adams. Among the charter members listed in the original record book is the name of Elizabeth Kincaid, grandmother of Vivian Clark and Aubrey Rogers. Most of the other charter members have long departed from Borden County, but members of. some families still hold an interest in the happenings of this church.
In November 1900, the Methodist Church in Gail, was reorganized with Rev. H.C. Jolly; who lived north of Gail, leading the movement. Among the charter members of
this reorganization were Lucy and Bell Kincaid. Lucy's son, Aubrey Rogers, contin-. ues to support the Gail Church as did Bell's son, Vivian Clark until his recent death. Other charter members were Minnie Russell, who married David Dorward, and Mrs. J.D. Brown, wife of the man who ran the Gail Bank until it's failure following the drouth and blizzard of 1917-18.
Also listed are five members of the James Dow family, including James Lorenzo Dow who published his first newspaper in Gail and went on to build the weekly Avalanche-Journal of Lubbock into a widely known daily paper. In the Peter

Hurd murals at Texas Tech, Lorenzo Dow represents the newspaper industry in West Texas.

The Dorward Methodist Church in Gail is the only Methodist Church in Borden County. On January 31, 1992 it would celebrate it's 100th year.
But this Sunday. Nov. 25, 1990, there will be a meeting at 8 a.m.--regular church time--to decide if the church should be closed. Is there no one interested in the preservation of a Methodist Church in Borden County? If so, please meet with us on Sunday at 8 a.m.

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## ALL-DISTRICT SELECTED

The 5A coaches met DEFENSIVE END: to select the 1990 All Paul Sturdivant District 6-Man football Cole Vestal team. The Coyotes LINE BACKER: pretty well dominated Klint Kemper the All-District team SAFETY: Jimmy us appropriate. The Jimmy Rios All-District Honors for the Borden County Coyotes are as follows:

## 1ST TEAM ALL-DIST.

OFFENSIVE END: Cole Vestal QUARTER BACK: Shane Kemper RUNNING BACK: Jimmy Rios



## LOCAL LANDFILL FACES CHANGES UNDER NEW STATE LAW

The State of Texas, the Texas Department of Health and the Texas Board of Health along with the United States Environmental Protection Agency are changing the County Commissioners. rules under which
landfills dumpgrounds) operate. To comply with the latest rules passed by the Texas Board of Helth, the Borden cont. to pg.

# YRE H: COYOTES STAY HOME, BUT AREN'T LOSERS! 

Tise Borden County football team played a hard fought Bi-District football game Friday night to a 20-20 tie. The Coyotes did not lose the game, but they will conclude their bid for the state playoffs because the Grady Wildcats had 5 penetrations to the Coyotes 4. If the penetrations had been tied, then the first downs would have counted. The Coyotes had 175 total yards, 95 rushing yards and 80 passing yards. The Grady Wildcats had 312 total yards, 171 rushing, and passing

Leading the offense for the Coyotes was

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$\begin{array}{lll}\text { Shane Kemper. } & \text { He } \\ \text { completed } 5 \text { of } 14\end{array}$ completed 5 of 14
passes for 80 yards and 1 touchdown.
Klint Kemper rushed 11 times for 59 yards and 2 touchdown's

Kincheloe caught 1 pass for 15 yards.

Klint Kemper led the defense with 17 tackles, John Paul Harris had 15 tackles, Rod Jeter had 14 tackles, Brandon Adcock had 11 tackles, Paul Sturdivant had 10 tackles, and Cole Vestal had 9 tackles.
The game began with the Wildcats kicking off to the Coyotes. The Coyotes began their first drive to the 13 yard line. The Coyotes were held by the Wildcats and punted to their own 32 yard line. The Wildcats managed only 7 yards in 4 downs, and the Coyotes took over. The Coyotes next possession was aided by a Grady facemask penalty for 15 yards and a first down. An offside penalty was assessed on the next four downs. The Coyotes penetrated to the Grady 15 yard line before fumbling to the Wildcats. The Wildcats completed a pass for 29 yards and a lst down. On 4 th and 10 at the Coyote's own 25 yard line, Jeremy Mize tackled a Wildcat for a loss. On the next series of downs the Coyotes were forced to punt without a first down. On 4 th and one a Wildcat ran 25 yards to the Coyote 14 yard line. The first quarter ended $0-0$.

On third and goal at the 5 yard line the Wildcats picked up 3 yards. On 4 th and goal at the 2 yard line the Coyotes held the Wildcats short. Klint Kemper was credited with the tackle. The

OTE stopping the Wildcats
on the goal line. On the first play from the Coyote's own two, a Coyote fumbled the ball right into the
hands of a Grady defender. The Wildcat then ran the two yards for the touchdown. The PAT failed, and the score was 6-0 with 8:05 left in the half. Juve Balaque ran the kick-off to the 23 yard line. Brandon Adcock made a 32 yard run that was negated by off setting penalties. Cole Vestal caught a 12 yard pass, and John Paul Harris made a 10 yard run for a lst down. Klint Kemper made 6 yards, and a Grady penalty gave the Coyotes a lst down. John Paul Harris made 13 yards for a lst down and Klint Kemper made a 3 yard plunge for the touchdown. The PAT was no good, and the score was 6-6 with 5:34 left in the half. The Wildcats took over at their own 12 yard line. They made a first down, but had to punt on the next four downs. After a 16 yard Grady punt, the Coyotes took over at their own 34 yard line. Klint Kemper got 23 yards and Brandon Adcock picked up 6 yards. The Coyotes were faced with 4 th and 8 yards to go when a Shane Kemper pass was dropped by a Coyote. Grady took over on their own 16 yard line. The Coyotes almost sacked the Grady quarterback in the end zone, but he got away. A Coyote recovered a fumble, but on the next play, the Wildcats got the ball back on an interception. The half ended 6-6.

On the Wildcats opening possession of the half, the Wildcats drove 58 yards for a touchdown. The PAT was good, and the

5:59 left in the 3 rd quarter. The Coyotes first possession of the half resulted in a punt to the Grady 15 yard line. The Cats made 2 first downs, but lost 22 yards. On 4 th and 30 yards, the Coyotes took over on downs. The Coyotes were held without a lst down, and on fourth down Shane Kemper punted to the Grady 3 yard line. The quarter changed, and Grady tried to punt from their own 11 yard line. The Wildcats made a -5 yard punt, and the Coyotes took over on the Grady 2 yard line. On the next play Klint Kemper went over for the touchdown. The referee ruled the PAT by Shannon Smithie no good. The score was 12-14 with $9: 12$ left in the game. Grady was forced to punt to the Borden Coyotes 10 yard line. J.J. Kincheloe caught a 15 yard pass for a 1st down. On 4th and 6 ..yards Shane Kemper was dropped for Kemper was dropped for
a loss. The Wildcats

## CHALK TALK BY COACH AVEFYY

The Coyotes had a great year. I have really enjoyed coaching the football team. I have watched them become competitors and gain that desire to win. At the beginning of the year the Coyotes did not know what it took to win, but during the course of the year something happened to the Coyotes They were having more fun playing they claimed, but at the same time a team was forming. They played with more intensity, more courage and they had a greater desire to win. I think it began with Klondike, then there was district Hermleigh, Ira, Trent, Loraine, then Highland. All of them helpless
against the Coyotes. The Coyotes displayed their character by going into the BiDistrict playoff game without their leading rusher, Jimmy Rios. Jimmy, rushed for 1097 yards in 9 ganes, had sprained . his ankle against Highland. The Coyotes did not get down or get long faced. . They proved their character by coming from behind and producing a tie of 20-20. This game capped off the year. Even though we cóuld not advance, it is success like this that carries over into basketball and track and even into athletics next year: Good seàson Coyotes, now let's have even a better year.

# COYOTE N ALL-STAR <br> The All-Stars were 

 also recently selected. These young men will represent District 5A at the 1991 6-Man All-State game this summer in Stephenville. This district gets to sent 2 athletes and it was hard to select. Our own Jimmy Rios was the top vote getter, a nd Trent's Jamie Masonheimer was the other All-Star. Cole Vestal was selected as the lst alternate. If one of the two All Stars elects not to go to the game, Cole will have the first chance to attend.

JIMMY RIOS, SENIOR RUNNING BACK
(STAR PHOTO)

## FFA NEWS

## FFA FRUIT SALES

The Gail FFA began selling fruit November l3th. The sales will continue until. Wed. Nov. 28th. The following is a list of items and prices:

RED DELICIOUS APPLES: (Washington) Large Box----100 per box--\$20.00 Smal1 Box----50 per box $---\$ 13.00$

CHOTCE ORANGES: (California navel) Large Box-----88 per box--\$18.00 Small Box-----44 per box--\$10.00

ChCICE RUBY RED GRAPEFRUIT Large Box-----40 lbs.-----\$16.00 Small. Box-----20 lbs.----- $\$ 10.00$

MIXED FRUIT (Oranges \& Grapefruit) One Size Only-35-40 lb. --- $\$ 18.00$

COMBO BOX (Oranges,Apples, Grapefruit) One Size Only-36 count per carton $\$ 15.00$

Anyone wishing to purchase fruit, please contact Mr. Buddy Wallace at $915 / 856-4314$ or $856-4478$. Thanks to everyone for supporting the FFA.

> BOOSTER CLUB MEETING MONDAY, NOV. 26 th IN CONFERENCE ROOM AT 5:15 p.m. BEFORE THE JUNIOR HIGH GAME WITH O'DONNELL

## BASKETBALL TIME IS HERE HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS

## Lady Coyotes

 unding out the team this year are Heather Armstrong and Mendy Hensley. With only 8 girls on the team this year, all of our players will have to contribute in order for us to have a good year. The girls all have a strong desire to win and have a tradition of winning, which should help us through a very tough schedule.After a Thanksgiving break, we travel to Loop to play the Longhorns.

Bobbie Armstrong 2 , Leticia Rios 2. Hodnett led Sands with 18. Overall, it was a good showing for our girls.

We paid Sands a second visit on Monday, Nov. 19th, hoping for a different outcome. For the first half, it looked as if we might pull off an upset, as our defense was giving Sands trouble. The score at the half was 13-12 Sands. We had a very cold 3 rd quarter, however, as Sands moved out to a 24-12 lead. We emptied our bench in the 4 th quarter as our reserves did a good job in a losing cause. Sands would up the game on top by a score of 33-18. Bobbie Armstrong and Jana Kincheloe led our attack with 6 each. Nadia Baeza, Erica Nance, scored 2 each, while DeAnn Parks and Maya Sheen scored 1 each. Leticia Rios, Mandi Herring, Laura Hensley, Brandi Smithie, and Shayla Jeter also saw action for Borden County. After 4 games, our record stands at a respectable $2-2$.
o'Donnell will visit our gym on November

## 26th.

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## FIGHT-

WIN!

THE BORDEN STAR,WED., NOV. $21,1990 . . .4$
Peanut-Butter-Jelly Sandwiches, a Science Lesson?

Peanut butter-andjelly sandwiches in Barbara Tharp's fourthgrade classroom are not part of the lunch menu; they are part of the science lesson.
Tharp compares the layers of the peanut butter, jelly and bread to layers of rock beneath the earth's surface. She has students slice the sandwiches and move the pieces into different positions to see how the earth shifts, forming geological faults.

Each summer, 30 teachers spend six weeks learning new ways to present science lessons from the faculty of Baylor, Rice University and the University of Houston. The project

## SPEAKS AT

Mr. Bob Dyess, former football and basketball coach at Borden County School, was invited to speak at the pep rally held before the Bi-District playoff game with Grady.

He said he was honored to be asked by this year's winning team to give them a pep talk.

Mr. Dyess talked about having "fourth quarter character". Not only for athletic pursuits but to apply this to their future careers.

He began his coaching career in Abernathy, Texas, then went to Southland. He was hired to coach at Borden County in 1969.
During his years in Gail, his football teams won various honors, and 18 years ago was the last time Borden County reached the Bi-District playoffs. He said the way the team was progressing, he knew it would
allows the teachers to learn by doing, just as their students will.
For a lesson on microbes, the teachers make yogurt in a thermos container. "Tree cookies" (slices of tree trunks), are used as a learning tool for determining a tree's age and climate.

Animal organs purchased at the supermarket are dissected for anatomy lessons
"Hands-on is the best way to teach science so that kids experience and remember. They think they're having fun. They don't know they're learning.
The program encourages students to ask the how' and 'why' questions, resulting in higher test scores.
PEP RALLY


BOB DYESS, FORMER COYOTE COACH! not be 18 more years before Borden County came home with a trophy.

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The tallest woman basketball player was Juliana Semenova who played on the 1976 Russian Olympic team and stands seven feet two inches tall

## REGULAR SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

 NOVEMBER 19, 1990The Board of Trustees of the Borden County Independent School District met in regular session on Monday, November 19, 1990 at 8:00 P.M. in the Board Room of the Borden County School.
Board members present were Jack McPhaul, Joel Dennis, Kenny Hensley, Scott Clayton, and Randy Adcock. Tom Ed Vestal was absent
Superintendent, Jimmy Thomas was also present
Call To Order:
$\frac{\text { Community Input: }}{\text { There were no visitors present }}$
Minutes:
The minutes of the October 15, 1990 Board Meeting were read. motion was made by Joel Dennis and seconded by Randy
approve the minutes. The motion carried unanimously
4. Bills:

The bills for November were reviewed. A motion was made by Randy Adcock and seconded by Scott clayton to approve the bills. The motion carried unanimously.
5. Appointment Of Records Management Officer As Required By H. B. 1285 : A motion was made by Scott Clayton and seconded by Randy Adcock to appoint Jimmy Thomas as the Records Management Officer of the Borden
County Independent School District. The motion carried unanimously.

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$$ made by Joel Dennis and seconded by Randy Adcock to aciept the December 1, 1990 to November 30,1991. The motion carried unanimously

7. Propane Bid:

The five bids for school propane were reviewed, and a motion was made by Scott Clayton and seconded by Kenny Hensley to accept the propane bid of Eddins-Walcher Company of Snyder for the period of
December 1,1990 to November 30,1991 . The motion carried December 1,1990 to November 30,1991 . The motion carried
unanimously.
8. Appointment of Appraisal Board Member:

> A motion was made by Joel Dennis and seconded by Scott Clayton to appoint Randy Adcock to the Borden County Appraisal Board to fill the unexpired term of Jon Monger which will expire on December 31,1991 . The motion carried unanimously.
9. Change of Legal Firm To Address Delinquent Tax Collections No action taken.
0. Review of Rules And Regulations Pertaining To Borden County I.S.D. Senior Trips:
No action taken
11. Adopt and Rescind Policy Statements According To TASB Localized Update 38: motion was made by Joel Dennis and seconded by Scott clayton to adopt and rescind policy statements according to TASB Localized Update 38. The motion carried unanimously
12. Superintendent's Report: date financial report for the 1990-91 school year
b. Attendance Report- It was reported that the $k-12$ enrollment for the District was 185 as of November 19, 1990.

Board Training Credit- A review of the current status of School Board Training Credit was given.
d. Borden County Invitational Tournament- It was reported that plans were presently being made to finalize details relating to the annual Borden County Invitational Basketball Tournament that will take place on December 13 th, 14 th, and 15 th.
e. Basketball Officials- It was reported that Superintendent, Thomas had filed a complaint with the Permian Basin Basketball Official's Chapter as a result of the fact that basketball officials were not provided for the first two basketball games of the season as previously contracted and confirmed by the basketball official's association.
f. Inclement Weather- A brief review was given pertaining to the delay, early dismissal, and cancellation of school as a result of inclement weather.

A motion was made by Randy Adcock and seconded by Joel Dennis to
approve the superintendent's report. The motion carried unanimously.

Adjournment:
A motion was made by Kenny Hensley and seconded by Randy Adcock to adjourn the meeting. The motion carried unanimously.

## HOLIDAY MARKET

The Extension Program Council and the Extension Home Economics Committee are sponsoring a Holiday Market on December 14th \& 15th in conjunction with the Borden County Basketball tournament. We are looking for interested individuals and cottage industries to set up booths at our Holiday Market. The Market will be held from 1:00-7:00 p.m. on Friday, Dec. 14th and 10:00 -6:00 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 15th.

## The Holiday Market

 will be set up in the Borden County Show Barn directly behind the school. The showbarn is within walking distance from the school.Please return the encolosed booth reser-
vation form if you are interested in having a booth at our market. We will need you to return these forms or contact the Extension office in Gail at (915)856-4336 no later than Nov. 28th, in order to arrange for tables and booth spaces. After we receive your booth reservations, we will send you detailed information on time, location, etc.
We are requesting that you donate one item per booth to be auctioned off in lieu of a booth fee. We will begin booth set up on Friday, Dec. 14th. in the morning begining at 10:00 a.m.

Please share this information with interested parties.

Hope you will join in the fun!

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Marge Mathis


According to U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics estimates, the job classifi cation with the most openings likely between now and 1900 is that of computer service technician.

## Farmers' share of Thanksgiving dinner declines over six years

series of market basket surveys crop prices gathered by the Texa conducted across the state by marketing specialists. The return to farmers is calculated on the basis of Agricultural Statistics Service, the Agricultural Statistics Service, the Texas Agricultural Extension Servic


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## THANK YOU

My thanks to all; Big or Small, phone calls, food, visits, prayers, kind words and cards.

Also thanks for the time and care from all EMT's
God Bless you,

Mary Cathey

## Classified Ads

(AUSTIN)--"Texas farmers can expect to receive 2.2 cents as their share of this year's average Thanksgiving the six years that the Texas Department of Agriculture has tracked holiday mea prices,"Texas Agriculture Commis sioner Jim Hightower said today
'The farmers' net return has declined nearly five cents in six years from a total of seven cents per serving in 1985, the first year that TDA examined the consumers cost and farmers' return for an average Thanksgiving dinner.
"This follows an overall trend toward a declining farmers'share of the consumer, food dollar during the past six years. In 1985, the average farme received just 26 cents of every consumer food dollar. In 1990 farmers received an average of less than 24 cents of every consumer dollar
"Further declines are likely next year, as rising fuel prices triggered by the current international situation cause farmers' input costs to skyrocke and as drastic cuts in farm subsidies and a freeze in the federally mandated target prices for many farm products take effect," Hightower said

Consumers, on the other hand, will pay an average of $\$ 2.52$ each for their Thanksgiving dinner, eight cents more than last year but 36 cents less than six years ago.

The TDA Thanksgiving Dinne Survey annually examines 10 common food items produced in Texas and found on typical holiday dinner plates The cost to consumers is calculated by a


Sources: Texas Department of Agriculture, Texas Ag Statistics Service, Texas A\&M

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NOTES FROM HOME BY DEBRA POLLARD
Home Demonstration/CEA

## Some Calories Count More Than Others

If the number of
calories consumed by Americans has dropped substantially since the early 1900, why has the avarage weight in the United States continued to creep upward throughout the better part of this century?

For many years scientists thought that weight loss was simply a matter of mathematics. If we ate fewer calories than we burned for energy, we would lose weight. Today, scientists are finding some interesting things about calories. Not only do they all count, but calories from fat seems to count, more than others. Canadian investigators found new reasons why fat, not carbohydrate, in the diet is a major villaim in obesity. The researchers found that men who ate high-fat food in a sampling of their normal diets were fatter. When 244 healthy men ate whatever they liked and recorded their food consumption for three days, those who had eaten foods containing more fat had more body-fat mass and a higher percentage of body fat, and their skinfolds in all locations were thicker.

Researchers also found that when people ate a high-fat diet, they consumed more calories than on a low-fat diet. When eight men had all they wanted from choices of high-fat foods, they consumed about 4,100 calories a day. When the men ate all they wanted from the same menu items prepared so that they contained less fat, they consumed 3,000 calories a day.

At nine calories per gram, fat packs more than twice the calorie punch of carbohydrates and proteins (each with four calories per gram). Beyond that,
researchers have learned that the body converts dietary fat to stored fat relatively easily. Fat ingested in the diet is converted into stored fat in the body at 97 percent efficiency compared to carbohydrate which is converted into body fat with an efficiency of only 77 percent.

Simply put, dietary fat is much more likely to become body fat than dietary carbohydrate. Carbohydrates have always had a lot going for them nutritionally, so why are we only now getting around to recognizing their virtues?

Some nutrition experts think we may have backed into renewing our appreciation for carbohydrates.
It's clear that people want to reduce the amount of fat in the diet. It's also clear that we have adequate protein in the diet. This leaves carbohydrates with their many benefits as a food group whose consumption can be encouraged.
Carbohydrate foods provide the feeling of satiety or fullness that comes from eating foods containing starch and fiber. Fiber from grains, fruits and vegetables has added benefits for gastric processes, such as preventing constipation. And recent evidence suggests that some forms of fiber may be effective in reducing serum cholesterol.

The bottom line: Fat calories that come from butter, sour cream, cream sauces, oils, pastries, fatty meats, and whole milk and dairy products are much more likely to end up as body fat than the carbohydrate calories from foods like bread, potatoes and pasta--all the more reason to heed the call to limit fat
in the diet and increase the consumption of complex carbohydrates for better health.

## RELAY TEXAS

 SERVES HEARING AND SPEECH IMPAIRED CUSTOMERSCommunications services for the hearing and speech impaired are being provided throughout Texas. Known as RELAY TEXAS, the service allows Texas residents who are deaf, hard of hearing, or speech impaired to communicate over the telephone with persons who have normal speech and hearing. US SPRINT, long distance affiliate of United Telephone Co. of Texas, provides the service across the state.

The Public Utility Commission awarded the Relay Texas contract to US SPRINT. The confidential service operates out of Austin 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. To communicate with the center, persons who are speech and/or hearing impaired use a Telecommunications Device for the Deaf (TDD) or other compatible equipment.
TDD users dial 1-800RELAYTX to be in direct contact with a relay center agent. The agent connects the call to the requested telephone number and remains on the line to serve as a conduit between the two parties. A message typed into the TDD system is viewed by the agent, who then translates it orally to the party with normal speech and hearing.

The agent then receives the oral response converts it into written form, and relays it back through the TDD system. Calls may be initiated by either a TDD user or a person

## Almond Pumpkin Pie



Almond Pumpkin Pie is a delectable dessert for any occasion.
ALMOND PUMPKIN PIE
(Makes one 9-inch pie)
1 (9-inch) unbaked pastry
2 eggs shell
(16-ounce) can pumpkin
$11 / 2$ teaspoons pumpkin pie spice
$1 \begin{gathered}\text { (16-ounce) can pumpkin } \\ \text { (about } 2 \text { cups) }\end{gathered}$
( 14 -ounce) can sweetened condensed milk (NOT evaporated milk)
Preheat oven to $425^{\circ}$. In large mixer bowl, combine all ingredients except pastry shell and sliced almonds; mix well. Pour into pastry shell; top with almonds. Bake 15 minutes. Reduce oven temperature to $350^{\circ}$; bake 35 to 40 minutes longer or until set Gool. Refrigerate leftovers.
with normal speech and hearing. Callers with normal speech and hearing must dial 1-800-RELAYVV to access the center.
The agents have received extensive training in deaf awareness and sensitivity, as well as American Sign Language transliteration. This enables agents to identify a variety of sentence structures and language patterns used exclusively by persons who are speech or hearing impaired. The customer relay agents may handle as many as 175,000 cals a month.

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Many of the first houses in the American colonies were built from bricks used as ballast in the holds bricks us
of ships.

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## Advanced Farm Accounting Software

Pioneer Hi-Bred International, Inc. has released for sale a new, proprietary software program known as DollarWise Advanced Farm Accounting.

The program has been designed to assist farmers in tracking and analyzing their inventory, loans and new worth.
"DollarWise" not only helps with such simple tasks as checkbook balancing and tax preparation, but handles such complex chores as adjusting inventory values to reflect market changes. Another benefit of the software is that it can be used as a doublerentryessgash or accrual accounting

## system.

Designed with input from producers across the nation, "DollarWise" has the capability to provide up-to-date grain and livestock inventory levels by account for any given time period.
Other information generated, by the program includes financial summaries, enterprise income and cash flow statements, transaction listings, tax reports, account number and vendor listings.
"DollarWise" uses a pop-up calculator, pull-down menus, help screens and pop-up windows to walk users through each step they need to take when entering their accounting information.

Time-saving features of the software include the automatic creation of income and expense accounts for farm enterprises, and the ability to copy recurring transactions from month to month. Users also have the flexibility of creating their own asset, liability, new worth, income and expense accounts.

Reports from "DollarWise may also be transferred to other software programs where the information can be manipulated for further analysis.
Users can quickly and easily enter their withdrawal and deposit transactions and update inventory values. The software also saves time by allowing checks to be prepared during transaction entry. Another helpful feature is the program's electronic 'notepad' --which allows producers to record up to a full page of facts and figures about each transaction.
For more information about the Dollarwise Advanced Farm Accounting Program and demonstration diskette, farmers are asked to call Pioneer toll-free at 1-800-338-5878, Ext.
240 Monday through Friday, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Central Time.

## New Area Code

Telephone customers in 200 Northeast Texas communities are now being served by the nation's newest area code---903.
Customers in Dallas and in 33 Metroplex municipalities immediacut
municipalities immediately surrounding the city will continue to use 214 area code.
But GTE has taken precautionary steps to avoid call completion problems for customers who have not made the changes. From November 4, 1990 to May 4, 1991, the switching equipment will still allow calls to the new 903 area code to be completed-whether the caller used the new, correct area code or the former 214 area code.

## loth Annual Dawson County Pecan Show and

 Pecan FoodDawson County's 10th Annual Pecan Show and Pecan Food Show will be held December 6 and 7 in the Lamesa National Bank Meeting Room at 112 Houston Ave. in Lamesa. Eddie Brown is the chairman for this year's Pecan Show.

Pecan growers from Dawson County and any adjacent county should save the best nuts from this year's crop for the show. Any grower in the area may enter a sample of 42 nuts from each variety he grows. Growers may enter only one county contest.
Nuts should be selected that are free of insect and disease damage. They should be uniform in size and shell color. Nuts should be cleaned but not altered in shape or color. Any alteration of pecans by marking, filing or excessive polishing will disqualify the entry.
Pecan entries must be from this year's crop and must have

The additional area code is needed because continued residential and business growth in the 214 area led to a shortage of available telephone number combinations.

After May 4, callers will not be able to complete calls to the new 903 area without dialing the correct area code. If they mistakenly use the former 214 area code, they will hear a recorded message instructing them to dial the new 903 area code.

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## Our National Cathediral

Majestically
Majestically overlooking Washington, D.C., National Cathedral is a vision of Gothic beauty. The sixth largest cathedral in the world, it truly is a focal point of the nation's capital. And on Sept. 29, 1990, exactly 83 years after the laying of its cornerstone, the final piece of limestone was put in place. National Cathedral-officially, the Cathedral Church of Sts. Peter and Paul-is completed.

The inspiration behind the cathedral started more than 200 years ago. According to legend, Joseph Nourse, then secretary of the treasury, told President George Washington and city planner Maj. Pierre L'Enfant of his dream to have a church built on his homesite of Mount St. Alban, which commanded the highest spot in Washington, D.C.

Initially, little effort was made to
'Enfant had included description of a "great church for national purposes" in his city plans, but distrust between church and state during the late 1700s caused the plans to be set aside. It was not until after the death in 1850 of Nourse's granddaughter, who left 50 gold dollars for a "free church on Alban's hill," that a fund was created to preserve the land for the cathedral. Many citywide planning meetings were held to rally support for the cathedral. In 1893, a congressional charter created the nonprofit Protestant Episcopal Cathedral Foundation to construct and operate the cathedral.

Although actual construction did not begin until 1907, the cathedral began its national ministry almost immediately. A new Episcopal diocese was created, and the first Bishop of Washington, Henry Yates Satter-
1896. The first service was held outdoors to celebrate the end of the Spanish-American War in 1898. And on Sunday, Sept. 29, 1907, President Theodore Roosevelt participated in the festivities to lay the cathedral's foundatin stone from Bethlehem.

Dr. George Bodley, an Englishman, and Henry Vaughn, an American, were commissioned as the first architects. Their design was based on 14th-century English precedent: laid out from east to west, cruciform in plan with a curved apse, a twoaisled nave, a high tower above the crossing and a tripartite west front with two towers. Indiana limestone was selected for the stonework.

Building a Gothic cathedral in the 20th century challenged the ministry Craftsmen were needed who still worked in stonemasonry and stained-glass design. Although the Bethlehem chapel inside the cathedral opened in 1912, construction was slow. During both


More than 130 specialty shops and restaurants are featured at Rivercenter, a 10 -acre shopping, dining and entertainment complex in San Antonio. Among the more prominent tenants of the downtown mall are a new 1,000 -room Marriott Hotel, and the IMAX Theater which boasts a six-story high screen and features "Alamo...The Price of Freedom," a reenactment of the 13 -day siege that sparked the Texas Revolution. Texas Department of Commerce photo.

World Wars, building came - to a complete standstill. For many involved, building the cathedral has been a lifetime mission. In fact, Peter Cleland, master mason at the cathedral, has three generations of the Cleland clan from Scotland working on its completion.

While based in Episcopal tradition, National Cathedral has from its inception strived to serve as "a house of prayer for all people. And as its more than 400,000 annual visitors and 200,000 worshippers can attest, once inside its towering nave, with soft, colored light streaming from the magnificent stained-

glass visitor windows welcome.


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